

A3  
Cont

wherein R<sup>1</sup> is a group represented by  $-(CH_2-CH_2O)_m-H$  (m is 1 to 10), and R<sup>2</sup> is a group or an atom selected from the group consisting of a group represented by  $-(CH_2-CH_2O)_n-H$  (n is 1 to 10), an alkyl group of 1 to 10 carbon atoms, an aryl group and a hydrogen atom.--

#### REMARKS

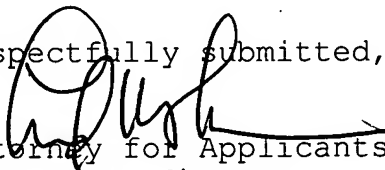
Entry of the foregoing amendment prior to examination of this application is respectfully requested in view of the following comments.

Claims 3 and 6 have been amended and new claims 7 and 8 have been added. Accordingly, claims 1-8 are pending in this application.

Claims 3 and 6 have been amended to delete their multiple dependencies and thereby reduce the filing fee. New claims 7 and 8 correspond to the second dependencies of claims 3 and 6, respectively, rewritten in single dependent form.

No new matter has been added and applicant respectfully submits that this application is in condition for allowance and an early notice to that effect is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Attorney for Applicants  
Leonard W. Sherman  
Reg. No. 19,636

SHERMAN & SHALLOWAY  
P.O. BOX 788  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313  
(703) 549-2282

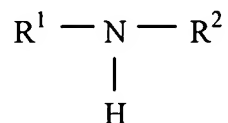
Hideo ARIKAWA, et al.

Serial No.: Unassigned

Docket No. ZU-412

### Marked-Up Amended Claims

3. The chipping resistance-imparting aqueous dispersion composition as claimed in claim 1 [or 2], further comprising a nitrogen compound (c) represented by the following formula (I) in an amount of 0.1 to 30 parts by weight based on 100 parts by weight of the olefin thermoplastic elastomer (a),

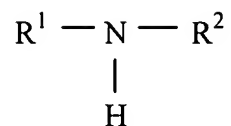


(I)

wherein  $\text{R}^1$  is a group represented by  $-(\text{CH}_2-\text{CH}_2\text{O})_m-\text{H}$  ( $m$  is 1 to 10), and  $\text{R}^2$  is a group or an atom selected from the group consisting of a group represented by  $-(\text{CH}_2-\text{CH}_2\text{O})_n-\text{H}$  ( $n$  is 1 to 10), an alkyl group of 1 to 10 carbon atoms, an aryl group and a hydrogen atom.

6. The chipping resistance-imparting aqueous dispersion composition as claimed in claim 4 [or 5], further comprising a nitrogen compound (c) represented by the following formula (I) in an amount of 0.1 to 30 parts by weight based on 100 parts by weight of the

styrene/conjugated diene block copolymer or its  
hydrogenation product (a'),



(I)

wherein  $R^1$  is a group represented by  $-(CH_2-CH_2O)_m-H$  ( $m$  is 1 to 10), and  $R^2$  is a group or an atom selected from the group consisting of a group represented by  $-(CH_2-CH_2O)_n-H$  ( $n$  is 1 to 10), an alkyl group of 1 to 10 carbon atoms, an aryl group and a hydrogen atom.